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1 Scope

This part of IEC 62505 is applicable to single-phase a.c. one-pole circuit-breakers designed for indoor or outdoor fixed installations for operation at frequencies of 16,7 Hz, 50 Hz and 60 Hz on traction systems having an U_{Nm} above 1 kV up to 52 kV.

This International Standard is also applicable to two-pole circuit-breakers when connected in the following manner: one pole supplying the connection to the contact line of the track, the second pole supplying the connection to the feeder cable which runs alongside the same track and which is used to boost the track voltage at regular intervals in combination with autotransformers. The centre of this circuit is connected to earth.

This Standard is also applicable to the operating devices of circuit-breakers and to their auxiliary equipment.

This Standard does not address circuit-breakers with dependent manual operating mechanism.

NOTE A rated short-circuit making current cannot be specified for these circuit-breakers and the use of these mechanisms may give reasons for the objection based on their safety in operation.

2 Normative references

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IEC 60044-1:1999, *Instrument transformers – Part 1: Current transformers*

IEC 60850:2007, *Railway applications – Supply voltages of traction systems*

IEC 62271-1:2007, *High-voltage switchgear and controlgear – Part 1: Common specifications*

IEC 62271-100:2008, *High-voltage switchgear and controlgear – Part 100: Alternating-current circuit-breakers*

IEC 62271-102:2003, *High-voltage switchgear and controlgear – Part 102: Alternating-current disconnectors and earthing switches*

IEC 62497-1, *Railway applications – Insulation co-ordination – Part 1: Basic requirements – Clearances and creepage distances for all electrical and electronic equipment*

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